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8. [redacted] Mr. Tom Moyer, in the General
Counsel's office of the Civil Service Commission, called in reference to
[redacted] letter of 18 April to Seymour Berlin with an analysis of the
implications of H. R. 3807 (Federal Executive Service) on Agency authorities,
and said they would work out a solution to our problems with both the Senate
and House Post Office and Civil Service Committees. He agreed to send the
language that would appear in the legislation as soon as it is worked out,
explaining that a number of other agencies were likewise affected.

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6. [] Met with Mrs. Thompson, staff member in the office of Senator Hiram Fong (R., Hawaii). I explained that the letter of reference, written by the Senator for a constituent to a post office box address in Washington, D. C., concerned possible employment with the Agency. The Agency's interest had not been shown since the applicant is residing in [] Mrs. Thompson understood the manner of handling and would advise Senator Fong. She was sure, however, he had surmised that the Agency was involved. 25X1

7. [] A suggested reply to a letter from a constituent was discussed with Miss Jane Hardy, staff member in the office of Senator Edward Gurney (R., Fla.). The constituent sought assistance in securing the proceeds of a life insurance policy for a Cuban who was executed by Castro as a CIA spy. The reply related the results of Senator Gurney's inquiries that no such policy was ever undertaken by the United States Government. Miss Hardy readily understood and stated she had been quite certain that any such policy was probably taken out with a private company. She had so advised the constituent in an interim reply and would confirm this finding. 25X1

8. [] Delivered to the offices of Senators Alan Cranston (D., Calif.), George S. McGovern (D., S. Dak.), Hugh Scott (R., Pa.), Mike Mansfield (D., Mont.), and Mike Gravel (D., Alaska) FBIS items in which their names were mentioned. 25X1

9. [] [] Office of Personnel, advised that Andy Ruddock, Civil Service Commission, had been called by Bill Holt, Administrative Assistant to Representative Samuel Stratton (D., N. Y.), concerning precedent to be used in establishing an early retirement program for the faculty at the Naval Academy and the discussion covered the Agency's retirement system and authority for our retirement age policy. [] suggested that we get Holt off Ruddock's back. I called Holt and apparently satisfied his interest by providing him with a citation to the CIA Retirement Act and suggesting that he look to the Foreign Service Retirement Act and, for some conceptual material, the Senate Committee Print of the Cabinet Committee Report on Retirement, 90th Congress. STAT¹

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15. [redacted] Called Ted Kazy, Senior Staff Assistant, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee, on the status of the Fair Labor Standards Act amendments, H. R. 7130, which among other things would extend the coverage of that Act to minimum wage and overtime for Federal employees (see Journal of 12 January 1972). Kazy said that Chairman Dulski had written Chairman Perkins, Education and Labor Committee, requesting that those Federal employee provisions be struck from the bill on the basis of jurisdiction with no effect and is scheduled to appear before the Rules Committee to request a rule permitting a point of order to be made against these provisions when the measure comes to the floor for a vote. Failing this, Representative David Henderson (D., N. C.) will probably propose an amendment to strike the provisions. In response to my query, Mr. Kazy said that the "informal clearance" given to the Education and Labor Committee by the Civil Service Commission had evaporated and Chairman Hamilton, Employee Benefits Subcommittee, has stated his opposition in writing.

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Mr. Kazy said that the Committee was still having difficulty in getting a quorum together on the Ervin bill, H. R. 11150.

With respect to the Federal Executive Service bill, H. R. 3807, Kazy said that Committee interest in the bill appeared to be waning.

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10. [] Advised Al Tarabochia, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee staff, that we had no significant information on [] about whom he had made inquiry.

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11. [] Ralph Preston, House Appropriations Committee staff, called and asked if the Director could brief the CIA Subcommittee on the community budget on 1 June if he could line up the Subcommittee members. I told him I would check on this and be back in touch with him tomorrow.

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12. [] Robert Owens, in the office of Representative Lester L. Wolff (D., N.Y.) called to request another copy of an FBIS item we gave them last week as they had misplaced their copy. I said I would check on this and let them know.

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13. [] A call was made to Mr. Anthony Mondello, General Counsel, Civil Service Commission, concerning S. 3417, a bill by Senator Moss (D., Utah), to liberalize the Hatch Act. Hearings on the bill are now being held by the Senate Post Office and Civil Service Committee. The CSC and the Administration are opposed to the bill as it unduly relaxes the restraints on partisan political conduct and grants the states self-enforcement of the Hatch Act. Mr. Mondello felt that the bill may possibly pass the Senate but he doubted passage by the Congress. Consideration of S. 3417 may force the Administration to submit its bill to Congress later this month. (See Memoranda for the Record for 17 April 1972 and 9 May 1972.)

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14. [] Met with Representative Frank Bow (R., Ohio) and delivered the two sealed envelopes from the Director. Representative Bow noted in rather personal conversation that he is looking forward to his retirement at the end of this session and will be glad to be away from the frustration that is increasing in congressional business. He will be retiring to an active business-type life.

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15. [] Delivered to Miss Helen Mattas, House Foreign Affairs Committee staff, a copy of the China atlas.

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16. [] Met with Mr. George Berdes, National Security Policy and Scientific Developments Subcommittee staff, and made final arrangements with him for tomorrow's meeting with Mr. Carl Duckett, DDS&T.

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12. [] Met with Alan Coffey, in the office of Representative Hamilton Fish (R., N. Y.), and told him there was no basis in fact to a letter from a constituent. [] that final title to property [] is dependent upon the outcome of a security check by CIA. In response to his request for advice, I told him he might want to check with either the State Department or the FBI to assure himself that there is no substance to the matter and then inform [] accordingly. Coffey appeared to sincerely appreciate our assistance and that the Agency would not be so involved in the affairs of a United States citizen. STAT

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13. [] Met with Winslow Wheeler, Legislative Assistant to Senator Jacob Javits (R., N. Y.), and delivered a letter from the Strategic Services Unit to the Senator to the effect that there is nothing in the files to corroborate the statement of E. S. Erickson that Prince Carl Bernadotte, of Sweden, was to be granted a medal by OSS in recognition of the assistance rendered to Erickson who had been awarded the Medal of Freedom with Bronze Palm. []

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14. [] Met with Susan Smith, in the office of Senator James Buckley (R., N. Y.), and gave her a suggested reply for the Senator to send to Albert Moore, who had requested Senator Buckley's assistance in getting from FBIS a series of questions which Mr. A. M. Rosenthal, Managing Editor of the New York Times, had sent to the government of North Vietnam on Hanoi's terms for a peace settlement. I explained that the FBIS material the Senator would be sending to Moore (White Book with Hanoi's answer sans questions) was the only material that FBIS had placed in the public domain and that the material containing the questions had been limited to "Official Use Only." Miss Smith thought our suggested reply and method of handling the problem would work out fine, and if it did not, she would let us know. (The method of handling this [] was coordinated with Mr. Thuermer, Messrs. Knoche and [] STAT 25X1

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15. [] Mr. Fisher, Director of Personnel, advised that Tom Moyer, in the Office of the General Counsel, Civil Service Commission, had wanted to discuss with appropriate Agency representatives the enclosure to Mr. Fisher's letter of 18 April which sets forth the consequences of the enactment of H. R. 3807, Federal Executive Service, on current statutory authorities involving the Agency. Mr. Warner, OGC, will follow through with Moyer.

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